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S&H Form: (10/03) 826.1679 Attorney Docket No. 09/788,391 Application Number REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date February 21, 2001 FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Hiroyasu FUJIWARA Inventor Group Art Unit 2172 AMOUNT ENCLOSED 0.00 **Examiner Name** A. Ly FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03) CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining Highest Number Number AMENDED After Amendment Previously Paid For Extra Rate Calculations TOTAL CLAIMS 8 20 = 0 X\$ 18.00 = \$ 0.00 INDEPENDENT X \$ 86.00 =0.00 4 = 4 CLAIMS Since an Official Action set an original due date of August 26, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) 0.00 Total of above Calculations = Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) TOTAL FEES DUE = 0.00 (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT Check enclosed as payment. Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date). **GENERAL AUTHORIZATION** \boxtimes If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935 Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP \boxtimes The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Typed Name J. Randall Beckers Reg. No. 30,358 Signature Date

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TOTALIZATION SYSTEM AND RECORDING MEDIUM

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on August 26, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.